GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 273.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to recognise provisional, and until further notice. John Bell-Irving, Esquire, as in charge of the Hawaiian Consulate-General at this Port, during the absence of the Honourable Wm. Keswick.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART.

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 23rd July, 1886.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 274.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to recognise provisionally, and until further notice, John Bell-Irving, Esquire, as in charge of the Danish Consulate at this Port, during the absence of the Honourable Wm. Keswick.

By Command,

Frederick Stewart,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 23rd July, 1886.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 275.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Headert Charles Metcalfe, of the 2nd Battalion, Northamptonshire Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp and Private Secretary, during the absence on leave of Captain Porter of the Buffs.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th July, 1886.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 276.

The following Regulations made by the Governor in Council, under Ordinances 21 of 1886 and 17 of 1870, are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th July, 1886.

REGULATIONS

Made by the Gover for in Council under the Spirit Licences Ordinance, 21 of 1886, and under the Crown Fees Ordinance, 17 of 1870, this 23rd day of July, 1886.

- 1. Intoxicating liquors bottled in the Colony may be sold under a wholesale licence, although the bottles are not contained in cases, provided not less than twelve quart bottles or twenty-four pint bottles of any one liquor are sold at one time.
- 2. Whenever no special provision has been made in the Spirit Licences Ordinance, 1886 for the Transfer of any Licence, such Licence may be transferred by the endorsement of the Officer who issued it, or by the issue of a fresh licence by him.
- 3. The fee of \$10 for each licence for an eating-house imposed by Section 31 of the above-named Ordinance is hereby remitted in the case of eating-houses for Chinese customers only.

ARATHOON SETH, Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, Hongkong.